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Subject Fw. Response to "action" Ltr dated 6-29-06

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To: Thomas Krueger/R5/USEPA/US@EPA

From: mphil35950@aol.com Date: 06/30/2006 04:46PM

Subject: Response to "action" Ltr dated 6-29-06

Mr. Krueger;

Please find attached Universal Form Clamp Co. response to your letter dated 6-29-2006

You may contact me at the following: 813-838-5634 mPhil35950@aol.com

Thank You

Mike Phillips Universal Form Clamp Co. Special Project Mgr.

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June 30, 2006

Thomas Krueger
Regional Council
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
U.S. EPA, C-14J
77 West Jackson Blvd.
Chicago, IL 60604-3590

Mr. Krueger;

Universal Form Clamp Co. is in receipt of your letter dated June 30, 2006 re; Pollution incident June 14, 2006, signed by Linda M. Nachowicz.

Please be advised, Universal Form Clamp has retained U.S. Risk / Environmental Services to perform all required action, per [Sec. 4] "clean-up" in the above referenced letter. U.S. Risk / Environmental Services will also perform all site remediation per [Sec. 7], Scope of Work Plan and a Site Safety Plan have been submitted, and work has commenced Friday June 30, 2006, site clean-up and remediation will be complete no later than Wednesday July 5, 2006. With the possible exception of [1] mix tank #O-2 which will be emptied during the clean-up phase but all fitting and pumps are to remain "as is" by direction of Randy P. McClure Investigator-in-charge U.S. Chemical Safety Board.

Universal Form Clamp Co. acted in an expedient manner in all aspects of the site control and initial "Fire Water" retention, testing and disposal, any delays per [Sec 6] in site "clean-up" and "remediation were due to U.S. ATF taking control of the site and restricting access for evidence protection purposes. Universal Form Clamp and it's agents did not regain "Control" of the site until Thursday June 29, 2006 at which time U.S. Risk / nvironmental began preliminary site preparation.

Also be advised that Universal Form Clamp Co. has not received as of this date any correspondence or copies of correspondence from Bellwood Fire Dept. and U.S. EPA re: BFD concerns, per [Sec. 5] safety and stability of chemicals on site. Chief Harvey Requested removal of 4/Pallets of flammable material to an outside retention area, and that was accomplished within hours of his directive.

If you are in need of any further information please contact me at the number below 813-838-5634

Respectfully

Mike Phillips



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